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LOGIC CIRCUIT OPTIMIZING DEVICE :  
AND LOGIC CIRCUIT COMPOSING :  
DEVICE :

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In response to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application dated June 15, 2004, submitted herewith is the required Declaration and Power of Attorney.

Also enclosed are the PTO surcharge of \$130.00, required by 37 CFR 1.16(e), and a copy of the Notice.

Favorable action on the merits is now requested.

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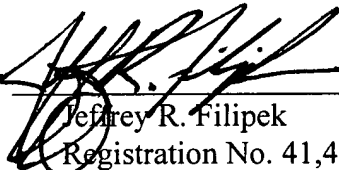
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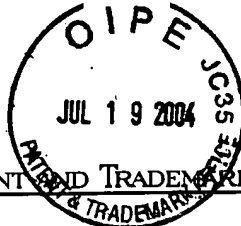
The attached Declaration and Power of Attorney includes both Japanese language text and English language text. The English language text constitutes an accurate translation of the Japanese language text.

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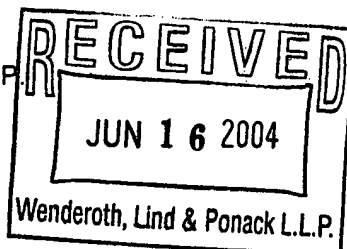


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*Filing Date Granted***Items Required To Avoid Abandonment:**

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The oath or declaration is unsigned.
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**SUMMARY OF FEES DUE:**

Total additional fee(s) required for this application is \$130 for a Large Entity

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